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800-638-8736

The agency that provides national leadership, coordination, and resources to prevent and treat juvenile delinquency; improve effectiveness and fairness of the juvenile justice system; and address the problem of missing and exploited children.

Office for Victims of Crime (OVC)
800-627-6872

The Federal Government's chief advocate for all issues affecting crime victims.

Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS)
800-732-3277

The statistical arm of the U.S. Department of Justice, responsible for collecting, analyzing, and reporting data related to criminal victimization and the administration of justice.

Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA)
800-688-4252

The agency that provides funding, training, technical assistance, and information to States and communities in support of innovative programs to improve and strengthen the Nation's criminal justice system.

Office of National Drug Control Policy (ONDCP)
800-666-3332

The national source of drug and crime statistics and related information.

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The Office of Justice Programs is happy to present the inaugural issue of the *NCJRS Catalog*, which represents a new level of coordination among the five OJP agencies. Previously known as the *NIJ Catalog*, the bimonthly *NCJRS Catalog* will continue to highlight recently released OJP documents. It also presents news of OJP grants and funding and includes regular features on Justice International, Justice on the Net, and Justice in the Journals.

We are confident the new catalog will be a valuable tool for the criminal justice community in seeking the best and latest information in a variety of formats—from print to the Internet, from video to disk.

Laurie Robinson
Assistant Attorney General

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Justice in the Journals highlights key articles in professional journals.

Justice on the Net offers information on what's new on the Internet for those interested in criminal and juvenile justice and how to find resources.

NCJRS Collectibles lists publications and audiovisual materials distributed by NCJRS that have been previously announced and continue to be of value.

For Your Information highlights news items of interest to the criminal justice community.

Justice International highlights justice news from outside the United States.

Grants and Funding describes recent awards by the Office of Justice Programs agencies.

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What does current research say about key criminal justice issues?

Answers can be found in NIJ's videotape series: **Research in Progress.**

Research in Progress features well-known scholars describing current studies and how they relate to existing criminal justice research. Each 60-minute tape presents a lecture given before an audience of criminal justice researchers, practitioners, and policymakers and includes a question and answer segment. Ideal for use in the classroom, training seminar, office, or home, the videotape series features the latest information on community policing, drug abuse treatment, high-risk youth, sentencing policy, and violence prevention.

Drug Abuse Treatment

NCJ 152692

James Inciardi, Ph.D. *A Corrections-Based Continuum of Effective Drug Abuse Treatment.*

High-Risk Youth/ Child Abuse

NCJ 153270

Adele Harrell. *Intervening With High-Risk Youth: Preliminary Findings From the Children At-Risk Program.*

NCJ 153272

Cathy Spatz Widom, Ph.D. *The Cycle of Violence Revisited Six Years Later.*

NCJ 156923

Orlando Rodriguez, Ph.D. *The New Immigrant Hispanic Populations: Implications for Crime and Delinquency in the Next Decade.*

NCJ 157643

Benjamin E. Saunders, Ph.D., and Dean G. Kilpatrick, Ph.D. *Prevalence and Consequences of Child Victimization: Preliminary Results from the National Survey of Adolescents.*

Policing

NCJ 153273

Wesley Skogan, Ph.D. *Community Policing in Chicago: Fact or Fiction?*

NCJ 153730

Lawrence W. Sherman, Ph.D. *Reducing Gun Violence: Community Policing Against Gun Crime.*

NCJ 159739

Joel Garner, Ph.D. *Use of Force By and Against the Police.*

Sentencing Policy

NCJ 152236

Peter W. Greenwood, Ph.D. *Three Strikes, You're Out: Benefits and Costs of California's New Mandatory Sentencing Law.*

NCJ 152237

Christian Pfeiffer, Ph.D. *Sentencing Policy and Crime Rates in Reunified Germany.*

NCJ 159740

Kim English, Ph.D. *Managing Adult Sex Offenders in Community Settings: A Containment Approach.*

Violence Prevention

NCJ 152235

Alfred Blumstein, Ph.D. *Youth Violence, Guns, and Illicit Drug Markets.*

NCJ 153850

Scott H. Decker, Ph.D., and Susan Pennell. *Monitoring the Illegal Firearms Market.*

NCJ 152238

Arthur L. Kellerman, M.D., M.P.H. *Understanding and Preventing Violence: A Public Health Perspective.*

NCJ 153271

Marvin Wolfgang, Ph.D. *Crime in a Birth Cohort: A Replication in the People's Republic of China.*

NCJ 154277

Terrie Moffitt, Ph.D. *Partner Violence Among Young Adults.*

NCJ 156924

Robert Sampson, Ph.D. *Communities and Crime: A Study in Chicago.*

NCJ 156925

John Monahan, Ph.D. *Mental Illness and Violent Crime.*

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Selected Additions to the NCJRS Document Collection

This section announces new publications and audio-visual materials that keep you up to date on advances in criminal justice. Documents listed are recent additions to the NCJRS Document Data Base.

The acquisition of a document or the inclusion of a document abstract in the *Catalog* does not constitute an endorsement of the document or its contents by the U.S. Department of Justice.

All publications in the NCJRS document collection may be borrowed through interlibrary loan. (Videos are not available.) Contact your local library for further information.

Selected publications are available on microfiche (\$2 per title) or as a hard copy reproduction (\$5 per document plus 10¢ per page). Call NCJRS at 800-851-3420 to verify availability.

Publications in this catalog designated "available electronically" are accessible via the Internet or a modem connection (see page 2).

Corrections

Controlling TB in Correctional Facilities

*U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Public Health Service*

1995. 103 pp. NCJ 158974

Not available from NCJRS. Order from U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Division of TB Elimination, National Center for HIV, STD, and TB Prevention, Corporate Square, Bldg. 10, MS E10, Atlanta, GA 30333, Attn: Jeanette Houston (404-639-1819). Free.

Provides comprehensive information on the control of tuberculosis in correctional facilities. Intended as a resource for Federal, State, and local correctional officials and for health officials charged with implementing tuberculosis control policies in correctional facilities, the guide

examines screening, containment, assessment, reporting, transmission, pathogenesis, and epidemiology of TB in correctional facilities. Case studies, screening algorithms, and regimen options for treatment are included.

Correctional Boot Camps: A Tough Intermediate Sanction

*Doris L. MacKenzie, Ph.D., and Eugene E. Hebert (eds.)
National Institute of Justice*

1996. 307 pp. NCJ 157639

Available free from NCJRS. Limited number of copies available. Call or write for a copy. *Also available electronically.*

Offers the first comprehensive attempt to report on the many and varied approaches to correctional boot camps nationwide. This 19-chapter Research Report examines State correctional programs, the Federal system, boot camps in county jails, juvenile boot camps, program models, and program design and planning. The future of boot camps as they move away from the military and discipline-oriented strategy to a more treatment-oriented approach (particularly drug treatment) is also discussed.

Correctional Populations in the United States, 1994

*Allen J. Beck, Jodi Brown, Darrell K. Gilliard,
Tracy L. Snell, James J. Stephan, and Doris J. Wilson
Bureau of Justice Statistics*

1996. 188 pp. NCJ 160091

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. *Also available electronically.*

Presents data for 1994 on the growing number of persons in the United States under some form of correctional supervision. This includes 3 million on probation, 483,700 in jail, 991,600 in prison, and 690,200 on parole. The following State and Federal data categories on inmates are reported in this annual publication for 1994: sex, race, Hispanic origin, admission type, release type, sentence length, escapes, and probation and parole violations. Prison data are included on facility crowding, deaths in prison,

and inmates entering prison under sentence of death. A special section presents new data on persons held in U.S. military confinement facilities by branch of service.

Work in American Prisons: Joint Ventures With the Private Sector

George E. Sexton

National Institute of Justice

1995. 16 pp. NCJ 156215

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. Also available electronically.

Describes how companies in South Carolina, California, and Connecticut have formed successful prison-based partnerships with State and local correctional agencies. This Program Focus discusses the history of private-sector involvement in prison industries, Federal regulation of the ventures, and the benefits and pitfalls of such ventures. Five actual partnerships in the three States, with diverse services that include garment making, processing of airline reservations, and assembly of wire harnesses for electronic cables, are explored.

Courts

Alternative Sanctions in Germany: An Overview of Germany's Sentencing Practices

National Institute of Justice

1996. 4 pp. FS 000137

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. Also available electronically.

Examines the effects of alternative sanctions on youthful offenders in Germany. This Research Preview is based on a Research in Progress seminar presented by Christian Pfeiffer. Removing youths from society—even when incarceration included job training—appeared to negatively affect their ability to find employment when released. This report states that low recidivism was positively correlated with officials' (judges' and social workers') beliefs in their clients' rehabilitation and their ability to communicate supportively with offenders. See page 4 for information on obtaining a videotape of the presentation.

Compendium of Federal Justice Statistics, 1993

Bureau of Justice Statistics

1996. 150 pp. NCJ 160089

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. Also available electronically.

Describes all aspects of Federal justice system processing, including the number of persons prosecuted, convicted, incarcerated, sentenced to probation, released pretrial, and under parole or other supervision. This annual Bureau of Justice Statistics series, formerly published every other year, presents data for the Nation and by Federal judicial district, and describes events completed in the given year.

Federal Criminal Case Processing, 1982–93, With Preliminary Data for 1994

Bureau of Justice Statistics

1996. 35 pp. NCJ 160088

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. Also available electronically.

Presents data describing Federal criminal case prosecution, adjudication, and sentencing, as well as time served by Federal offenders. These data are presented for 1982 through 1993, with preliminary data for 1994. This annual report, the sixth in the Bureau of Justice Statistics series, is of interest to researchers and policymakers concerned with the processing of defendants throughout the Federal system.

National Assessment of Structured Sentencing

Bureau of Justice Assistance

1996. 138 pp. NCJ 153853

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. Also available electronically.

Presents the findings of the first national assessment of sentencing reforms. The publication offers lessons learned in the diverse efforts to structure sentencing over the past two decades. The study gives an overview of current sentencing practices in the United States, sentencing commission structures and their mandates, writing sentencing guidelines, and the impact of sentencing guidelines.

Crime Prevention

Beacons of Hope: New York City's School-Based Community Centers

Daniel McGillis
National Institute of Justice

1996. 16 pp. NCJ 157667

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. *Also available electronically.*

Presents a discussion of the Beacon Community Center Program in New York City. Implemented in 1991 by a Mayoral Commission, the program called for residents' input in the centers' development and management so that activities and services could meet each community's particular needs. A primary mission of the 37 Beacons now in New York is to give residents, particularly youths, tools to help them avoid crime and violence and to solve community problems. Among the array of services and programs provided are mentoring, tutoring, employment training and counseling, and cultural and recreational activities.

Coercion and Punishment in Long-Term Perspectives

Joan McCord, *editor*

1995. 392 pp. NCJ 158375

Not available from NCJRS. Order from Cambridge University Press, 110 Midland Avenue, Port Chester, NY 10573 (800-872-7423). \$59.95 plus \$3.50 shipping and handling.

Examines the benefits and costs of coercion and punishment. Drawing on longitudinal data, the authors considered such topics as mental health, antisocial and criminal behavior, substance abuse, and issues related to measurement and prediction; they used evidence from families, schools, and penal institutions. Some chapters suggest that subtle coercion can be powerful in shaping behavior. Others show that coercion by peers can be subtle. Evidence from several studies suggests that fear, at least as related to punishments, fails to lead to successful socialization.

Criminal Justice Research

The Cycle of Violence Revisited

National Institute of Justice

1996. 4 pp. FS 000136

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. *Also available electronically.*

Summarizes ongoing studies of 1,575 child victims identified in abuse and neglect court cases dating from 1967 to 1971. This Research Preview is based on a Research in Progress seminar by Cathy Spatz Widom. The studies discussed are sponsored by the National Institute of Justice, the National Institute of Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, and the National Institute of Mental Health. This report indicates that by 1994 almost half of the victims (most of whom were then in their late twenties and early thirties) had been arrested for some type of nontraffic offense, and 18 percent had been arrested for a violent crime. See page 4 for information on ordering a videotape of the seminar.

The Effectiveness of Treatment for Drug Abusers Under Criminal Justice Supervision

Douglas S. Lipton
National Institute of Justice

1995. 64 pp. NCJ 157642

Available free from NCJRS. Call or write for a copy. *Also available electronically.*

Presents an adaptation of a presentation made at the 1995 "What To Do About Crime" annual conference sponsored by the National Institute of Justice, the Bureau of Justice Assistance, and the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. This Research Report considers the relationship of drugs to crime, the current crowding in correctional facilities, and state-of-the-art treatment approaches used with substance-abusing offenders in custody. It also presents the findings of studies that have demonstrated that in-custody treatment can be effective in preventing rearrest and in other outcomes. Several successful projects are highlighted.

An Inventory of Aftercare Provisions for 52 Boot Camp Programs

*Blair B. Bourque, Mei Han, and Sarah M. Hill
National Institute of Justice*

1996. 142 pp. NCJ 157104

Available free from NCJRS. Limited number of copies available. Call or write for a copy. *Also available electronically.*

Provides brief synopses of 52 residential boot camps and their aftercare provisions. The boot camp programs in this Research Report include 34 adult programs run by State correctional agencies in 32 States; 8 local programs operated by sheriff's departments or local probation or correctional departments; the program operated by the Federal Bureau of Prisons in Texas and Pennsylvania; and 9 juvenile programs operated by a variety of public and private youth agencies. A three-tiered process was used to identify and describe aftercare programming in boot camps.

Drugs and Crime

Case Management With Drug-Involved Arrestees

National Institute of Justice

1996. 2 pp. FS 000098

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. *Also available electronically.*

Summarizes a recent study conducted by Abt Associates, Inc., that explored the effects of intensive case management, delivered over 6 months, of 1,400 drug-involved arrestees. The study described in this Research Preview was conducted in two sites between 1991 and 1993 with support from the National Institute of Justice and the National Institute on Drug Abuse. Outcomes were evaluated using formal assessment instruments to measure self-reported behavior at the start of the program and again at 3 months and 6 months, and independent data from criminal justice and drug treatment systems were analyzed to gauge the validity of the self-reports. The investigators suggest that incorporating HIV/AIDS intervention directly into the project may improve behavioral outcomes related to HIV risk reduction.

Drug Use Forecasting—1994 Annual Report on Adult and Juvenile Arrestees

National Institute of Justice

1995. 47 pp. NCJ 157644

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. *Also available electronically.*

Reports on data collected in 1994 by the Drug Use Forecasting (DUF) program on drug use among arrestees. The 1994 DUF annual report differs from previous DUF reports in that it includes, for the first time, not only the frequency distribution of offense at arrest, but also urinalysis results (percentages positive for cocaine, marijuana, or any drug) by offense at arrest. The program collected data from 20,015 adult male booked arrestees at 23 sites in major metropolitan areas across the United States, 7,839 adult female booked arrestees at 21 sites, and 4,558 juvenile male arrestees/detainees at 12 sites. The report states that although overall marijuana use is up, overall cocaine use is down—despite the fact that it was higher at 8 of 12 sites.

Political Economy & Illegal Drugs in Colombia

Francisco E. Thoumi

1995. 318 pp. NCJ 158374

Not available from NCJRS. Order from Lynne Rienner Publishers, Inc., 1800 30th Street, Suite 314, Boulder, CO 80301 (303-444-6684). \$48 plus \$3.50 shipping.

Summarizes Colombia's economic development and political history and its relationship to the illegal psychoactive drug industry. The author offers an alternative interpretation of the social, economic, and political changes in Colombia that have been accompanied by a pervasive growth in the illegal psychoactive drug industry, viewing political and economic variables as part of the interactive whole. The impact of the drug industry on the economy is analyzed, addiction theories are surveyed, and an evaluation of supply and consumption control policies is provided.

Unintended Consequences: Illegal Drugs & Drug Policies in Nine Countries

LaMond Tullis

1995. 234 pp. NCJ 159310

Not available from NCJRS. Order from Lynne Rienner Publishers, Inc., 1800 30th Street, Suite 314, Boulder, CO 80301-1026 (303-444-6684). \$42 plus \$3.50 UPS charge.

Addresses the intended and unintended socioeconomic and political consequences of the production, consumption, and trade involving illegal drugs in nine countries. This report uses the country studies commissioned by the United Nations Research Institute for Social Development and the United Nations University to analyze drug offenses and drug policies in Peru, Colombia, Bolivia, Mexico, Thailand, Myanmar/Burma, Laos, Pakistan, and Kentucky in the United States. An overview notes several links between drugs and crime, including the economic-compulsive drives of drug abusers and the systemic violence characteristic of traffickers' efforts to protect turf and open new markets.

Grants/Funding

Community Policing—Information on the “COPS on the Beat” Grant Programs

United States General Accounting Office

1995. 22 pp. NCJ 158757

Not available from NCJRS. Order from Superintendent of Documents, U.S. General Accounting Office, P.O. Box 6015, Gaithersburg, MD 20884-6015 (202-512-6000). First copy free.

Presents the methodology and findings of a review of various aspects of the Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) program, COPS on the Beat. The report describes the grant application, selection, and monitoring processes for the COPS: Phase I, COPS Funding Accelerated for Smaller Towns (FAST), and COPS Accelerated Hiring, Education, and Employment (AHEAD) programs. In addition, for the COPS FAST and COPS AHEAD programs, the review provides a comparison of the crime rates in applicant and nonapplicant jurisdictions, the reasons why some jurisdictions chose not to apply for the grants, and the public safety issues identified by a sample of applicant jurisdictions.

NIJ Awards in Fiscal Year 1995

National Institute of Justice

1996. 16 pp. NCJ 159563

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. Also available electronically.

Presents the awards made by the National Institute of Justice (NIJ) in Fiscal Year 1995. The awards in this Research in Brief support research, development, and evaluation under NIJ's Research Plan, as well as awards for training and dissemination in criminal justice. The list includes grants, interagency agreements and cooperative agreements, contracts, and fellowships. Awards made in FY 1995 to supplement projects begun earlier are also included. Future goals for research and evaluation are outlined.

Juvenile Justice

Boot Camps for Juvenile Offenders: An Implementation Evaluation of Three Demonstration Programs

Blair B. Bourque et al.

National Institute of Justice

1996. 116 pp. NCJ 157316

Available free from NCJRS. Call or write for a copy. Also available electronically.

Describes the National Institute of Justice evaluation of the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention demonstration program to examine the feasibility, appropriateness, and promise of the boot camp model for juvenile offenders. In 1991 three sites (Cleveland, Denver, Mobile) were chosen to participate, and the American Institutes for Research (AIR) and the Institute for Criminological Research (ICR) at Rutgers University were selected to conduct the evaluation. The discussion on the AIR/ICR evaluation in this Research Report covers observations of the first 18 months of the demonstration period.

Combating Violence and Delinquency: The National Juvenile Justice Action Plan (Report)

Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

1996. 220 pp. NCJ 157106

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. *Also available electronically.*

Provides a framework for the fight against juvenile violence through eight objectives that can be supported by activity at the individual, community, State, and Federal levels. Developed by the Coordinating Council on Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, the Action Plan describes how communities can generate solutions and how individuals and groups can reduce or prevent violence in their blocks, public housing units, or neighborhoods. The Action Plan also provides information about Federal training, technical assistance, grants, research, and other resources that support these efforts. (A summary of the Action Plan, NCJ 157105, is also available free from NCJRS. See below.)

Combating Violence and Delinquency: The National Juvenile Justice Action Plan (Summary)

Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

1996. 33 pp. NCJ 157105

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. *Also available electronically.*

Summarizes innovative and effective strategies, designed to reduce juvenile violence and victimization, which were developed by the Coordinating Council on Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. Through these eight key initiatives, communities, States, and the Federal Government can work to bring about positive change. (The complete National Juvenile Justice Action Plan Report, NCJ 157106, is also available free from NCJRS. See above.)

Curfew: An Answer to Juvenile Delinquency and Victimization?

Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

1996. 11 pp. NCJ 159533

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. *Also available electronically.*

Provides an overview of the legal challenges to curfew, and presents profiles of seven jurisdictions with comprehensive, community-based

curfew enforcement programs that address the factors that place youths at risk for delinquency and victimization and that promote the development of healthy behavior. This Juvenile Justice Bulletin also provides additional readings on juvenile curfew.

Juvenile Probation: The Workhorse of the Juvenile Justice System

Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

1996. 5 pp. NCJ 158534

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. *Also available electronically.*

Summarizes the workload problems, agency initiatives, and special issues of juvenile probation professionals as reported in the 1992 Juvenile Probation Officer Initiative Survey conducted by the National Center for Juvenile Justice. This Juvenile Justice Bulletin describes the probation profession, the youths it serves, and the problems facing it, including lack of resources, being understaffed, and overlarge caseloads.

State Laws on Prosecutors' and Judges' Use of Juvenile Records

Neal Miller

National Institute of Justice

1995. 17 pp. NCJ 155506

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. *Also available electronically.*

Reviews recent State laws as they pertain to the role of juvenile records in criminal court sentencing. As part of a larger project funded by NIJ to examine how adult criminal courts use defendants' juvenile records, this study examined various State laws that provide judges, prosecutors, and probation officers with access to juvenile records for specific purposes: to authorize pretrial release from custody, charge defendants and negotiate pleas, prepare presentence reports, and impose sentencing. This NIJ Research in Brief discusses laws authorizing the creation, dissemination, use, and destruction of juvenile records from the perspective of the criminal court.

Law Enforcement

Fresh Perspectives: The Best Defense

David H. Bayley
State University of New York at Albany

1995. 10 pp. NCJ 158377

Not available from NCJRS. Order from PERF Publications, 1120 Connecticut Avenue NW., #930, Washington, DC 20036 (202-466-7820). \$5.

Provides information on how community policing can reduce the likelihood of collective violence in American cities. Currently, the greatest fear among police is that riots such as those of a generation ago may break out again. Community policing offers a powerful defense against collective violence for several reasons. It personalizes policing, informs law enforcement, minimizes overreaction, and allows police officers to target potentially violent people. This book suggests nine key operational steps to make community policing an effective defense against collective violence.

High-Technology Crime: Investigating Cases Involving Computers

Kenneth S. Rosenblatt

1995. 603 pp. (plus diskette). NCJ 158372

Not available from NCJRS. Order from KSK Publications, P.O. Box 934, San Jose, CA 95108-0934. Contact publisher for cost.

Provides step-by-step procedures for investigating cases that involve computers. For use by law enforcement investigators, corporate investigators, prosecutors, and corporate counsel, the book uses the term "high-technology crime" to identify two types of crime associated with high technology: new crimes created by society's widespread use of computers, and traditional crimes so transformed by computer technology that investigators in such cases must be familiar with computers and the high-technology industry. A computer diskette accompanies the book and contains investigative checklists and sample search warrant language.

Implementation Challenges in Community Policing—Innovative Neighborhood-Oriented Policing in Eight Cities

National Institute of Justice

1996. 20 pp. NCJ 157932

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. Also available electronically.

Summarizes an NIJ-sponsored evaluation conducted by Susan Sadd and Randolph M. Grinc of innovative neighborhood-oriented policing (INOP) programs. The INOP programs were established with Bureau of Justice Assistance support in eight urban and suburban sites in 1990. Distinguished by their focus on neighborhood drug problems, the programs discussed in this Research in Brief used community policing techniques, particularly police-community partnerships, to attempt to lower the demand for illegal drugs.

National Data Collection on Police Use of Force

Bureau of Justice Statistics
National Institute of Justice

1996. 100 pp. NCJ 160113

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. Also available electronically.

Summarizes prior research on police use of force and lists the difficulties inherent in collecting use-of-force data, including definitional problems, the reluctance of police agencies to provide reliable data, concerns about the misapplication of reported data, and the degree of detail needed on individual incidents. This report also discusses alternative approaches to data collection and alternative sources of data, including official records, surveys of police, and surveys of citizens; it concludes that it will be some time before a national reporting program is implemented.

Correction to the March/April 1996 NIJ Catalog

The previous *Catalog* gave incorrect information concerning obtaining copies of the *FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin*. Single copies (\$2.50) and annual subscriptions (\$19.00) can be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, 202-512-1800.

Policing Drug Hot Spots

National Institute of Justice

1996. 2 pp. FS 000128

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. *Also available electronically.*

Summarizes a research study, conducted by David Weisburd et al., of the Drug Market Analysis (DMA) program in 1993 in Jersey City, New Jersey—one of five DMA demonstration sites. DMA, a drug enforcement strategy based on technological innovations in the geographic analysis of crime, focused on “hot spots” of drug activity. Using narcotics sales arrests, drug-related emergency calls for service, and narcotics tipline information over a 6-month period, as well as computer mapping techniques, 56 hot spots were identified. The study results point to the importance of focusing on specific places as well as on specific types of crime.

Reference and Statistics

Publications List—Spring 1996

Bureau of Justice Assistance

1996. 56 pp. BC 000189

Available free from NCJRS. Call or write for a copy. *Also available electronically.*

Lists all publications that are currently available from the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA), including free and fee items. Publications that are available from BJA grantees are also included, along with information on how to obtain them.

Victims

Attitudes toward Rape—Feminist and Social Perspectives

Colleen A. Ward

1995. 239 pp. NCJ 158978

Not available from NCJRS. Order from Sage Publications, 2455 Teller Road, Thousand Oaks, CA 91220 (805-499-0721). \$22.95, plus postage and handling.

Examines the popular perceptions of sexual violence and probes questions related to how rape is defined, who is responsible for sexual assault, and how rape can be prevented. Drawing on a wide range of case studies, survey research, experiments, fieldwork, and action-oriented research from Europe, North America, and Asia, the author combines qualitative and quantitative approaches to understanding sexual violence. The focus is on empirical evidence on attitudes toward rape, feminist theory, rape research, and social-psychological investigations of attitudes toward and perceptions of sexual assault victims, as well as applied aspects of psychological and feminist research.

Crime and the Nation's Households, 1995

Michael Rand

Bureau of Justice Statistics

1996. 8 pp. NCJ 160090

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. *Also available electronically.*

Presents estimates for 1995 from the National Crime Victimization Survey, which enables estimation of the percentage of American households victimized by the crimes of rape/sexual assault, robbery, assault, burglary, theft, and motor vehicle theft. The report also discusses trends since 1992 and examines some of the household characteristics associated with criminal victimization.

Domestic Violence

Karin L. Swisher (ed.)

1996. 96 pp. NCJ 158976

Not available from NCJRS. Order from Greenhaven Press, Inc., P.O. Box 289009, San Diego, CA 92198-9009 (619-485-7424). \$9.44 paperback, \$14.94 hardback, plus shipping and handling.

Discusses opposing viewpoints of the ongoing public debate on domestic violence. In 1992 empirical research and the U.S. Surgeon General ranked abuse by husbands and partners as the leading cause of injury to women between 15 and 44 years of age. Contributors to this volume conclude that domestic violence harms both men and women, that the media sometimes misreports domestic violence, and that both men and women cause domestic violence. Most contributors to this book also indicate that domestic violence is widespread and that the criminal justice system should take it more seriously.

Firearm Injury From Crime: Firearms, Crime, and Criminal Justice

Marianne W. Zawitz
Bureau of Justice Statistics

1996. 7 pp. NCJ 160093

Available free from NCJRS. See order form. Also available electronically.

Summarizes available statistical information from a number of sources on fatal and nonfatal firearm injury that results from crime. About 3 percent of the victims of nonfatal gun crime suffered gunshot wounds; an estimated 57,500 nonfatal gunshot wounds from assaults were treated in hospital emergency departments from June 1992 through May 1993; over half of these victims were black males (a quarter were black males ages 15 to 24). The firearm injury rate for police officers declined in the early 1980's and began climbing again after 1987, but has not exceeded the peak reached in 1980-1981. Data presented in the report are from several sources, including the National Crime Victimization Survey, the FBI's Supplemental Homicide Reports, and the Firearms Injury Surveillance Study sponsored by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.



The Violence Research Data CD-ROM Has Been Updated

The Violence Research Data CD-ROM (ICPSR 6495, CD0009) released in February 1995 has been updated. More studies and updated versions of some studies already on the CD-ROM have been added to the 59 studies contained on the original CD-ROM.

The Data Resources Program is on the Internet

The National Institute of Justice Data Resources Program (DRP) makes datasets from NIJ-funded research and evaluation projects available to the research community and sponsors research and training activities devoted to secondary data analysis. Datasets are archived by the National Archive of Criminal Justice Data (NACJD) at the Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) at the University of Michigan.

The NACJD maintains a World Wide Web site with instructions for transferring files and sending messages. Criminal justice data funded by the Department of Justice are available via the Internet at this site at no charge to the user. NACJD may be contacted at NACJD/ICPSR, P.O. Box 1248, Ann Arbor, MI, 48106-1248, 800-999-0960 or 313-763-5011. The URL for the NACJD home page is: <http://www.icpsr.umich.edu/NACJD/home.html>

This new section is designed to acquaint NCJRS users with research information in recent criminal justice periodicals. Many of the projects funded by Office of Justice Programs agencies and the Office of National Drug Control Policy are discussed in scholarly and professional journals. This section will also highlight such articles.

Criminal Behavior and Mental Health

Volume 4, 1994

Not available from NCJRS. Order from Whurr Publishers, Ltd., 19B Compton Terrace, London N12UN England (071-359-5979). \$33.

"Mental Illness as a Factor in Criminality: A Study of Prisoners and Mental Patients" by Carmen Cirincione, Henry J. Steadman, Pamela Clark Robbins, and John Monahan (pp. 33-47). Describes a study of patients admitted to New York State psychiatric centers and two samples of inmates admitted to New York State prisons to assess the relationship between mental disorder and arrest. Research for this article was supported by National Institute of Justice grant number 88-IJ-CX0039.

Criminology

Volume 33, Number 4, 1995

Not available from NCJRS. Order from American Society of Criminology, 1314 Kinnear Road, Suite 214, Columbus, OH 43212 (614-292-9207). \$18.

"Specific Deterrence in a Sample of Offenders Convicted of White-Collar Crimes" by David Weisburd, Elin Waring, and Ellen Chayet (pp. 587-607). Examines the impact of sanctions on the criminal careers of 742 offenders convicted of white-collar crimes in 7 U.S. district courts between fiscal years 1976 and 1978 to assess the impact of imprisonment on their official criminal records. Research for this article was supported by National Institute of Justice grant number 88-IJ-CX0046.

Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect

Volume 7, Number 1, 1995

Not available from NCJRS. Order from Haworth Press, Inc., 10 Alice Street, Binghamton, NY 13904-1580 (800-342-9678). Subscription \$40.

"The Intergenerational Cycle of Violence in Child and Elder Abuse" by Jill E. Korbin, Georgia Anetzberger, and Craig Austin (pp. 1-15). Reviews existing research on the intergenerational transmission of child abuse and elder abuse, and presents findings comparing the amount of childhood family violence reported by parents who physically abuse their children and by adult offspring who physically abuse elders.

Police Studies: The International Review of Police Development

Volume 18, Number 1, Spring 1995

Not available from NCJRS. Order from MCB University Press, 60-62 Toller Lane, Bradford, West Yorkshire, United Kingdom BD819BY. Contact publisher for cost.

"From the Classroom to the Community: Introducing Process in Police Diversity Training" by Jerome L. Blakemore, David Barlow, and Deborah L. Padgett (pp. 71-83). Provides a critique of methods used in cultural diversity training and suggests principles and strategies for conducting training.

"Policing Culturally Diverse Groups: Continuing Professional Development Programs for Police" by Richard C. Lumb (pp. 23-43). Discusses conflicts in police and community relations, especially in communities with culturally diverse groups, and recommends a variety of methods to reduce tensions and improve relations.

"Preparing Police Officers for Community Policing: An Evaluation of Training for Chicago's Alternative Policing Strategy" by Gail Dantzker, Arthur J. Lurigio, and Susan Hartnett et al. (pp. 45-69). Evaluates the training procedures used for Chicago's Alternative Policing Strategy, and recommends ways to implement training for community policing. This study was supported by the Bureau of Justice Assistance.



NCJRS on the World Wide Web

NCJRS's Justice Information Center has a new address: <http://www.ncjrs.org>

The Justice Information Center still provides the full text of more than 300 documents from the Department of Justice (DOJ) Office of Justice Programs and the Office of National Drug Control Policy. Go to the Web site for information on applying for Justice grants, and for links to scores of other criminal justice-related sites on the Internet.

Bureau of Justice Statistics Announces New Home Page on the WWW

The latest Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS) crime data are now available free of charge on the Internet at BJS's new home page. Criminal justice reports, spreadsheets, and news releases are electronically available in a variety of formats. The home page address is: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/>

Among the many publications available are *Child Victimizers: Violent Offenders and their Victims*, *Violence Against Women: Estimates from the Redesigned Survey*, *Weapons Offenses and Offenders*, *Prisoners at Midyear 1995*, *Capital Punishment 1994*, *Drugs and Crime Facts, 1994*, and *Guns Used in Crime*.

BJS, which is DOJ's statistical arm, collects information that profiles crime, sentencing, and punishment in the Nation's Federal, State, and local criminal justice systems. It publishes the National Crime Victimization Survey, the National Prisoner Statistics, and various other criminal justice data, which are among the many products now available to the public through the World Wide Web.

The BJS reports are linked to the datasets analyzed in the reports, which can be downloaded from the National Archive of Criminal Justice Data. Data users can access over 43 gigabytes of data that have been collected since the mid-1970's covering a range of subjects, including crimes reported to the police, criminal victimization, prison populations, Federal case processing, and counts of police officers and their equipment.

SEARCH is Now Online

The National Clearinghouse for Criminal Justice Information Systems

SEARCH offers computer systems training and technical assistance to justice agencies across the country and operates a clearinghouse that provides the criminal justice community with a national on-line forum and communication network.

The National Clearinghouse is a multifaceted resource for operational criminal justice agencies that includes SEARCH-BBS, BJS/SEARCH-Net, Automated Index of Criminal Justice Information Systems, and general clearinghouse services, including information dissemination, support, and assistance. It provides impartial information on available software solutions, promotes the development and exchange of public domain and shareware criminal justice information systems, and facilitates communication among justice practitioners nationwide.

Visit SEARCH's new home page on the Web: <http://www.search.org> —◆

New Resource Package on Violence Against Women

A comprehensive new resource package on violence against women is now available. Prepared under the direction of the National Criminal Justice Reference Service, the package offers the most complete and up-to-date information on this important topic. The package includes information on family violence conferences, civil protection orders, training programs, and anti-stalking.

The resource package (NCJ 153857) is \$32 U.S., \$42 Canada, and \$68 other countries. To order, phone 800-851-3420 or e-mail askncjrs@aspensys.com; have your VISA or MasterCard ready. You may also write to NCJRS, P.O. Box 6000, Rockville, MD 20849-6000. Enclose your check made payable to NCJRS.

Selections From the NCJRS Collection

The following is a selection of publications and audiovisual materials available from NCJRS. Look it over for items you may have missed when they were first announced. To order items, check the appropriate NCJ number on the order form.

Community Policing: Issues and Practices Around the World

J.H. Skolnick and D.H. Bayley
National Institute of Justice

1988. 93 pp. NCJ 111428. \$13 U.S., \$17.50 Canada and other countries.

Examines the history and central features of community policing and experience with this approach in the United States, Australia, Canada, Great Britain, Denmark, Finland, Norway, Sweden, Japan, and Singapore.

Day Reporting Centers for Criminal Offenders—A Descriptive Analysis of Existing Programs

D.G. Parent
National Institute of Justice

1990. 78 pp. NCJ 125268. \$13 U.S., \$17.50 Canada and other countries.

Summarizes information on day reporting centers (DRC's), which combine many features found in other innovative corrections programs, including electronically monitored curfews, random drug testing, and rigorous enforcement of supervision conditions.

Drug Control Task Forces: Creating and Implementing a Multijurisdictional Unit

J.R. Coldren, Jr.
National Institute of Justice

1993. 6 pp. NCJ 138332. Free.

Summarizes a study of multijurisdictional drug-control task forces that identified practices that led to successful implementation and facilitated impact evaluations.

Entrapment Defense in Narcotics Cases: Guidelines for Law Enforcement

M. Goldsmith
Bureau of Justice Assistance

1990. 22 pp. NCJ 127233. \$10.50 U.S., \$15 Canada, and \$15.50 other countries.

Provides guidelines designed to minimize the likelihood of a successful entrapment defense, particularly in narcotics cases.

Criminal Justice in the 1990's: The Future of Information Management

Bureau of Justice Statistics and SEARCH, Inc.

1990. 58 pp. NCJ 121697. \$10.50.

Contains conference proceedings on the future of criminal justice information management policy. The report provides an overview of the most salient issues surrounding criminal justice information policy, both in the past and in the future.

Gang Suppression and Intervention: An Assessment

I. Spergel
Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

1993. 200 pp. NCJ 146494. \$19 U.S., \$23.50 Canada, and \$30 other countries.

Presents the results of a review of the research literature on juvenile gangs, including definitions of youth gangs and related terms, the nature and causes of the gang phenomenon, and the effectiveness of various responses from law enforcement, social welfare agencies, schools, and communities.

Local-Level Drug Enforcement: New Strategies

D.W. Hayeslip, Jr.
National Institute of Justice

1989. 6 pp. NCJ 116751. Free.

Analyzes approaches used to combat drug dealing and the political impacts of these approaches.

Neighborhood-Oriented Policing in Rural Communities: A Program Planning Guide

Bureau of Justice Assistance

1994. 124 pp. NCJ 143709. Free.

Provides planning, implementation, and evaluation information for rural neighborhood policing initiatives for citizens and law enforcement officials.

Patrol Deployment

M.J. Levine and J.T. McEwen
National Institute of Justice

1985. 70 pp. NCJ 099803. \$13 U.S., \$17.50 Canada and other countries.

Discusses resource allocation issues that affect patrol operations and mechanisms for resolving them.

Police and Child Abuse: New Policies for Expanded Responsibilities

S.E. Martin and D.J. Besharov
National Institute of Justice

1991. 109 pp. NCJ 129947. Limited quantity available free.

Reports on a study to review the statutory framework for police activities in cases of child abuse and neglect.

Urban Delinquency and Substance Abuse Technical Report

D. Huizinga et al.
Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

1993. 600 pp. NCJ 146416. \$25.60 U.S., \$29.90 Canada, and \$36.90 other countries.

Presents some findings of the Program of Research on the Causes and Correlates of Delinquency on three interrelated projects: the Denver Youth Survey, the Pittsburgh Youth Study, and the Rochester (New York) Youth Development Study. —◆

New NCJRS Boot Camp Resource Package

Practitioners and researchers can now access a comprehensive compilation of research and model programs on boot camps prepared under the direction of the National Criminal Justice Reference Service.

The Boot Camp Resource Package features reading and referral lists, evaluations, and updates and/or overviews on the state of the art of jail boot camps, documents on shock incarceration, and boot camps for adult and juvenile offenders.

The resource package (NCJ 153381) is \$32 U.S., \$42 Canada, and \$68 other countries. To order, phone 800-851-3420 or e-mail askncjrs@aspensys.com; have your VISA or MasterCard ready. You may also write to NCJRS, P.O. Box 6000, Rockville, MD 20849-6000. Enclose your check made payable to NCJRS.

Domestic Violence and Child Abuse Studies

NIJ has made available the summary "Current or Recently Completed Research in Domestic Violence and Child Abuse." This report summarizes NIJ's current research in understanding and reducing violence, evaluating the effectiveness of arrests and judicial intervention, and improving the overall processes in criminal justice prosecution. Child abuse, sexual assault, and stalking are major topics covered. A copy is available through interlibrary loan or, for a photocopying fee, through NCJRS. Ask for NCJ 159565.

Conferences

1996 Symposium on Integrated Justice Information Systems

Bureau of Justice Assistance and SEARCH

Join the Bureau of Justice Assistance, U.S. Department of Justice, and SEARCH, the National Consortium for Justice Information and Statistics, for the **1996 Symposium on Integrated Justice Information Systems** to be held September 9–11, 1996, in Washington, D.C., at the Hyatt Regency on Capitol Hill. The symposium will explore the integration of information systems—one of the key issues that will structure information management and planning among justice agencies over the next decade and beyond. The symposium is aimed at a wide range of justice professionals, focusing on policy makers, agency administrators and MIS directors, technicians, researchers, and practitioners who are responsible for planning and/or implementing integrated justice information systems. For more information on the symposium, contact SEARCH at 916–392–2550, or send e-mail to kelly.harris@search.org. Information on the symposium is also available via SEARCH's World Wide Web page at www.search.org.

Other National Conferences

Look for the NCJRS representative and exhibit, on behalf of the agencies of the Office of Justice Programs, at the following national conferences. For further information on regional, national, and international conferences of interest to criminal and juvenile justice professionals, call NCJRS at 800–851–3420.

61st Annual National Association of Counties Conference and Exposition

July 12–16, 1996

Houston, TX

Contact: Horacio Gavilan at 202–942–4220

National Association for Court Management 1996 Annual Conference

July 17–18, 1996

Albuquerque, NM

Contact: Terry Anderson at 804–259–1841

National District Attorneys Association 1996 Summer Conference

July 21–25, 1996

Nashville, TN

Contact: Velma Wilburn at 703–519–1657

National Conference of State Legislatures Annual Meeting and Exhibition

July 27–August 1, 1996

St. Louis, MO

Contact: Julie Werner at 303–830–2200

American Bar Association (ABA) Annual Meeting

August 1–7, 1996

Orlando, FL

Contact: ABA/International Travel Service at

847–940–2124

22d Annual North American Victim Assistance Conference

August 11–16, 1996

Tulsa, OK

Contact: National Organization for Victim

Assistance at 202–232–6682

*American Correctional Association (ACA) 1996
Summer Congress of Correction*
August 19–21, 1996
Nashville, TN
Contact: ACA at 800–222–5646

Symposium on Integrated Justice Information Systems
September 9–11, 1996
Washington, DC
Contact: SEARCH at 916–392–2550

*Eleventh National Conference on Child Abuse
and Neglect*
September 16–21, 1996
Washington, DC
Contact: Research Assessment Management, Inc.,
at 301–589–8242

425 New Reasons To Get the Latest Information on Preventing Violence: 1996 Update to PAVNET

Partnerships Against Violence Network (PAVNET) represents the efforts of a coalition of 6 Federal agencies and more than 30 Federal clearinghouses to integrate information on the programs and resources available to address violence in the United States. PAVNET's resources consist of approximately 1,100 anti-violence programs, information resources, technical assistance programs, and Federal and private funding sources. In the areas of justice and education, PAVNET's 1996 Update offers more than 335 updated entries and more than 90 new entries.

This Update is available in two forms:

PAVNET Online. This search and retrieval system is accessible over the Internet:

gopher to *pavnet.esusda.gov*
connect via the World Wide Web to
http://www.pavnet.org

The *PAVNET Online User's Guide* helps users navigate PAVNET menus and use the search capabilities.

PAVNET on Diskette. All of the PAVNET data are available on two 3.5" high-density diskettes in Word-Perfect 5.1 and two 3.5" high-density diskettes in ASCII. You can use the WordPerfect search capabilities or the ASCII editor to search for information on a personal computer; a list of titles is also provided. The README file provides instructions.

The *PAVNET Online User's Guide* is free; PAVNET in WordPerfect or ASCII is \$16 (each) in the United States (\$20 elsewhere).

To order any of these items, call NCJRS at 800–851–3420, or e-mail *askncjrs@aspensys.com*. You may also mail the form below to NCJRS, P.O. Box 6000, Rockville, MD 20849–6000.

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GRANTS AND FUNDING

This new section of the *Catalog* highlights grants and funding awarded recently by the Office of Justice Programs agencies, as well as recently completed final technical reports resulting from these grants, that are maintained in the NCJRS Document Data Base.

Recent Awards

The following information is provided to inform you of the areas of current research and who is undertaking the projects. If you wish more information, please contact the appropriate agency.

The National Youth Gang Center
Institute for Intergovernmental Research
P.O. Box 12729
Tallahassee, FL 32317
Phone: 904-385-0600, ext. 259 or 285
Fax: 904-386-5356
E-mail: nygc@irr.com

Grant number: 95-JD-MU-K001 (3-year cooperative agreement, initial amount \$750,000).

Funded by the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention as part of a five-point response to juvenile gang problems, the center will serve as a State and local resource for comprehensive, accurate, consistent, and timely national information on youth gangs and gang-related research. It will also coordinate activities of the OJJDP Gang Consortium, a group of Federal agencies that will work to coordinate gang information and programs.

Final Technical Reports

Copies of these reports are available through interlibrary loan and, for a photocopying fee, through NCJRS. Copies of full abstracts of these reports are available through NCJRS and, for NIJ reports, through Fax-on-Demand.

"Final Assessment Report: National Neighborhood Mobilization Program to Prevent Crime." NCJ 160138. Bureau of Justice Assistance. 1996. Grant number 94-DD-CX-0046.

Evaluates the effectiveness of a program in Albuquerque, New Mexico, to create a community partnership to combat violence in neighborhoods. Key program elements included building and

enhancing local planning teams, developing strategies, community policing, and education to prevent violence from occurring. Survey instruments used to evaluate the effectiveness of the program are included.

"Weed and Seed Data Collection Systems." John Schaff, American Prosecutors Research Institute. NCJ 160137. National Institute of Justice. October 1995. Grant number 92-IJ-CX-K023.

Describes the processes and tools used by the prosecuting community to measure the effectiveness of weed and seed programs. Topics covered include defining the characteristics of weed and seed offenders, identifying prosecution-related activities that enhance program effectiveness, and measuring how programs have affected the volume and characteristics of drug and violent crime cases. Sample data collection forms and an overview of the project are included.

"Final Report: Baseline Data Collection Effort for the National Evaluation of the Weed and Seed Initiative." NCJ 160139. Institute for Social Analysis. August 1995. "Final Report: Part I. Cross-Site Summary." NCJ 160140. October 1995. "Final Report: Part II. Case Studies." NCJ 160141. National Institute of Justice. October 1995. Grant number 92-DD-CX-K044.

Present the final reports of a national evaluation of the Operation Weed and Seed program started in 1991, which targeted 19 specific communities as test cases for programs designed to weed out drugs and violent crimes, then seed the communities with a strategy of prevention, intervention, treatment, and restoration services. The first volume describes the framework of the program and the survey used to measure effectiveness. The second volume is a statistical analysis of site-specific data. The third volume contains detailed descriptions of the findings and program descriptions for each of the 19 targeted communities.

"Final Report: Innovative Neighborhood-Oriented Policing: Descriptions of Programs in Eight Cities," Volume 1. NCJ 157934. June 1995. "Issues in Community Policing: Lessons Learned in the Implementation of Eight Innovative Neighborhood-Oriented Policing Programs," Volume 2. NCJ 157933. National Institute of Justice. June 1995. Grant number 91-DD-CX-0012.

Describes an NIJ evaluation of the 1990 BJA "Innovative Neighborhood-Oriented Policing" (INOP) demonstration program designed to support the development of community policing tactics and strategies in eight jurisdictions. Volume 1 contains project descriptions, activities to reduce drug demand, other program components, and expected impacts in each of the eight communities. Volume 2 describes the research methodology, police response, interagency involvement, and measured effects of the programs.

"Manager's Guide for PACT Operations." NCJ 160359. Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA). 1995. Grant number 94-DD-CX-K004.

Describes Pulling America's Communities Together (PACT), a BJA program to reduce crime through community involvement. This reference book provides information on establishing PACT sites and developing strategic plans, and contains tables of background facts and figures that are helpful in assessing the benefits of a program.

"350 Tested Strategies to Prevent Crime: A Resource for Municipal Agencies and Community Groups." NCJ 159777. Bureau of Justice Assistance. 1995. Grant number 94-DD-CX-K004.

Highlights how communities and local governments have addressed crime problems and the conditions that lead to crime. This document provides detailed descriptions of 350 programs and contains contact information along with discussions of potential obstacles to success and suggestions for measuring program effectiveness.

"Prosecuting Complex Drug Cases—The Challenge for Local Prosecutors." NCJ 160120. National Institute of Justice. July 1993. Grant number 91-DD-CX-K046.

Summarizes the way complex drug cases are currently handled by Federal, State, and local jurisdictions. Information has been gathered into relevant and practical discussions for prosecutors, and is based on surveys of prosecuting attorneys and attorneys general. Issues for prosecution, differences associated with complex drug cases, and information systems technology to support complex prosecutions are major topics covered. —◆

New Documents on Fax-on-Demand

By using your touchtone telephone, you may order facsimiles of documents from the NCJRS fax-on-demand document ordering system 24 hours a day; they include such recent releases as the following:

- *Policing Drug Hot Spots* (National Institute of Justice)—order #1012.
- *National Citizens Crime Prevention* (Bureau of Justice Assistance)—order #5020.
- *Victims of Crime Act Victims Fund* (Office for Victims of Crime)—order #3003.
- *Number of Juvenile Murders Tripled* (Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention)—order #2026.
- *Fact Sheet: Drug Data Summary* (Office of National Drug Control Policy)—order #7004.

Call 301-251-5518 or any of the OJP agency toll-free numbers (see page 2) and select the fax-on-demand menu option. You can order the above publications by following the directions to press the order numbers and/or obtain an index of the more than 88 available publications.

To obtain facsimile documents from the Bureau of Justice Statistics, call 301-251-5550. *Child Rape Victims, 1992*, #15, is one of the most recent of the 26 publications available through this fax-on-demand service.

NCJRS International Links to International Organizations

On May 6, 1995, at the Ninth United Nations Congress on the Prevention of Crime and Treatment of Offenders in Cairo, Egypt, the National Institute of Justice (NIJ) became an affiliated institute of the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme Network. This affiliation will facilitate even closer cooperation, especially involving issues of electronic communication and information exchange, among NIJ, the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Branch (UNCPCJ), located in Vienna, Austria, and the 11 other affiliated institutes around the world.

In upcoming issues of the *Catalog*, NCJRS International will feature listings of the newest foreign acquisitions to the NCJRS Document Data Base, announcements of international conferences, addresses for criminal justice World Wide Web sites around the world, and other news of international interest.

The publication *NCJRS International Overview and Guide* answers most questions about NCJRS International and the availability of NCJRS products and services to the international community. It is available in printed copy and via the Web site at the Justice Information Center (<http://www.ncjrs.org/txtfiles/intgui.txt>).

NIJ and its information clearinghouse, the National Criminal Justice Reference Service (NCJRS), have been dedicated to sharing the results of justice research and development internationally, and helping others worldwide who are dedicated to improvements in the administration of justice, since 1972.

For additional information, write, call, fax, or e-mail NCJRS International.

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Documents on Community Policing

A Police Guide to Surveying Citizens and Their Environment offers practical guidelines on developing and implementing surveys that police can use to help identify and resolve problems. (Monograph) 1993. 109 pp. (NCJ 143711)

Problem-Oriented Drug Enforcement: A Community-Based Approach for Effective Policing examines the results of a five-city demonstration project that applied problem-oriented policing to drug law enforcement and drug-related crime. (Monograph) 1993. 83 pp. (NCJ 143710)

Understanding Community Policing: A Framework for Action explores partnerships and problem solving, and presents the basic organizational and operational elements involved in implementing community policing strategies. (Monograph) 1994. 79 pp. (NCJ 148457)

Please call the BJA Clearinghouse at 1-800-688-4252 to order any of these documents. Each document is \$15 U.S., \$19.50 elsewhere.

PUBLICATIONS AVAILABLE FREE

Corrections

- ☐ 01 **NCJ 160091. New.** Correctional Populations in the United States, 1994 (BJS). See p. 5.
- ☐ 02 **NCJ 156215. New.** Work in American Prisons: Joint Ventures With the Private Sector (NIJ). See p. 6.

Courts

- ☐ 03 **FS 000137. New.** Alternative Sanctions in Germany: An Overview of Germany's Sentencing Practices (NIJ). See p. 6.
- ☐ 04 **NCJ 160089. New.** Compendium of Federal Justice Statistics, 1993 (BJS). See p. 6.
- ☐ 05 **NCJ 160088. New.** Federal Criminal Case Processing, 1982-93, With Preliminary Data for 1994 (BJS). See p. 6.
- ☐ 06 **NCJ 153853. New.** National Assessment of Structured Sentencing (BJA). See p. 6.

Crime Prevention

- ☐ 07 **NCJ 157667. New.** Beacons of Hope: New York City's School-Based Community Centers (NIJ). See p. 7.
- ☐ 08 **NCJ 143709.** Neighborhood-Oriented Policing in Rural Communities: A Program Planning Guide (BJA). See p. 17.

Criminal Justice Research

- ☐ 09 **FS 000136. New.** The Cycle of Violence Revisited (NIJ). See p. 7.

Drugs and Crime

- ☐ 10 **FS 000098. New.** Case Management With Drug-Involved Arrestees (NIJ). See p. 8.
- ☐ 11 **NCJ 138332. New.** Drug Control Task Forces: Creating and Implementing a Multijurisdictional Unit (NIJ). See p. 16.
- ☐ 12 **NCJ 157644. New.** Drug Use Forecasting—1994 Annual Report on Adult and Juvenile Arrestees (NIJ). See p. 8.
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